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To The Editors: Could all the people who write-in Lodge's name have any idea what his record is? Lodge became a leader of the Senate liberals and devoted supporter of the UN. He was the chief exponent of the bipartisan foreign policy, when the liberals of both parties collaborated to silence constitutional objectors of both parties.

In 1952 Lodge was defeated for reelection to the Senate, even though the state voted overwhelmingly Republican for the presidential candidate. Why did the electorate of Massachusetts dump him? The Standard Times of New Bedford stated "Lodge does not believe there is a great distinction between right and wrong on an issue," Lodge was the only Republican in the Senate to oppose stopping foreign aid to nations which sent war materials to the commies.

The highly questionable activities of Lodge in South Viet Nam should disqualify him for any public office, especially the presidency. American military men and Lodge conceded that Diem's war against the Commies was going reasonably well, but Lodge was in control and wanted Diem destroyed. The suicide burnings of the Buddhist "monks" had been arranged by a "suicide promotion squad" as the foreign press was always notified well in advance, so pictures could be taken.

Lodge gave sanctuary in our embassy to commie Quang and others whom Diem considered dangerous enemy agents. On July 25, 1963, Lodge asked the CIA to poll the Vietnamese generals, to see which ones were ready to revolt against Diem. Three days later on July 28, 1963, a coup against Diem was attempted. While this one failed, the next one didn't. The MANCHESTER UNION LEADER on Feb. 6, 1964 stated "There seems little doubt that this disastrous revolution was carried out under the leadership of Lodge."

Lodge conceived and directed the vicious "thou shalt not steal" smear that helped defeat "Mr. Constitutionalist," Robert A. Taft, who would have made one of the best Presidents we ever had. Lodge has one political aim this year; to stop another constitutionalist, Goldwater. Gallup, whose polls belittle Goldwater's great strength, is behind Lodge, since both are members of the fishy CFR. Henry Luce of Life-Time-Fortune is reported to have contributed \$90,000 to Lodge's New Hampshire campaign. Facts in this letter came from Dan Smoot's broadcast No. 453, Independent American, magazines and newspapers.